

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 16.

THE CENTRAL SYSTEM—BY THE HUNDRED POUNDS.—Several years ago the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce took the initiative in favor of the introduction of a uniform decimal system of weights and measures by our Government, similar to that in use by the Empire of France. At the Detroit Board of Trade Convention of 1863, efforts were made to secure for this important question a prominent place in its deliberations. More recently, the Albany Board of Trade made a proposition to attempt to secure, by conventional co-operation of Boards of Trade, Chambers of Commerce, and Merchants' Exchange assemblies, the adoption of the central system in handling grain, (computing it by the hundred pounds instead of by bushels,) proposing the 1st of March next, as the time for the change. Since that proposition was made, the various Boards of Commerce of the different commercial cities have taken action thereon and adopted it. Last month the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce debated it, a committee of the Chamber having reported favorably thereon. It recommended by resolution the 1st of September instead of March as a more suitable season to commence, when the new crop of cereals begins to move. It also recommended that other trade commodities than grain be included in the reform movement. The Cincinnati Board of Officers also had under discussion the expediency of changing the standard weight of a barrel of flour to 200 pounds.

All these bodies have been urged to take steps to secure such legislation at the hands of the Congress of the United States as may be necessary to make legally uniform for the whole country this proposed reform, and to adopt such other measures as may introduce into general practical use a decimal system of computations for the measure of all quantities and values.

Chicago adopted these propositions some weeks ago, and all her immense grain receipts will be sold and bought by the hundred after 1st March. A dispatch from St. Louis says that the Chamber of Commerce has adopted the new system. —New Orleans Times.

ELECTRIC SOAP.

THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE!—Time, money, labor, and clothes saved, by using **DOUGLASS' ELECTRIC SOAP!**

When used, according to directions, no wash-board or washing machine is necessary, and by its use a child can do the washing of a large family.

It makes the hands soft and white, and will not injure the most delicate fabrics. For sale wholesale and retail by **HENRY COOK,** 39 and 224, King st.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.—Ran away from the subscriber, living near Union, Loudoun county, Virginia, my son **PETER BERRY**, who is about 18 years old, full 5 feet high, of a dark brown color, with a small scar on his upper lip. The above boy was hired by me to Mr. Thomas Carr, but left him without my knowledge, on the 4th of this month. I will give the above reward for his return to me, or for his confinement until I can get him. All persons are warned from harboring him, as I will enforce the law against all such offenders. **fe 14-38** **BENJAMIN BERRY, (Col.)**

NOTICE.—Having obtained letters of administration upon the personal estate of Mrs. Ann Johnson and Mrs. Mildred King, dec'd., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said several estates to present them to the subscriber, properly authenticated, for settlement, on or before the first day of March next; and all persons indebted to the same will please come forward and pay without further notice. **fe 6-24w3** **JOS. GRIMES, Adm'r.**

BRICKS!

300,000 BRICKS on hand and for sale low, cash, at **E. FRANCIS'S BRICK KILN**, upper end of Fairfax street, near the Canal.

Orders for all kinds of Brick Work promptly attended to, if left at the Brick Yard, at my residence, 56, South St. Asaph street. **ap 2-17**

OILS! OILS! OILS!!—Winter-strained Lard Oil, Winter-strained Elaine Oil, Spum Oil, Polar Paraffine Oil for Machinery, Beach Oil, Whale Oil, Elephant Oil, Binnacle Oil, Tanner's Oil, Straits Oil, Neatsfoot Longmooir Lubricating Oil, Natural Petroleum Oil, Refined Coal Oil, Raw and Refined, Roofing Oil, Opal Machine Oil, Tallow Oil, Train Oil, Paraffine Spindle Oil, do. Engine Oil, received and for sale by **HENRY COOK,** 39, King street.

ZEPHYR WORSTED.—LARGE SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED. BEST QUALITY. DIRECT FROM IMPORTERS. AT TWENTY-FIVE CENTS PER OUNCE. Have also on hand an inferior Zephyr Worsted, which is selling readily at 20c per ounce. **CHARLES W. GREEN,** No. 68, King street.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS.—Wilson's Early Blackberry, Lawton Blackberry, Dorchester do., Myatt's Linnaeus Rhubarb Root, warranted true. Delaware, Concord, Iowa, Israel, Adenard, and others. Union Village also, Otago Orange, Honey Locust and ornamental trees, for sale by **HENRY COOK,** 39, King st.

JUST RECEIVED.—Hays' Genuine Woolen Yarns, of all numbers and colors; Dexter's Knitting Cotton, three and four threads, all numbers and colors; also, a full assortment of Zephyr Worsted, all of which will be sold cheap for cash at **C. C. BERRY'S,** 72, King street.

SALT.—150 sacks Fine Salt; 50 sacks Ground Salt, for sale by **GEORGE H. ROBINSON,** 15, Union st.

GUANO AND SEED.—No. 1 Peruvian Guano and Timothy Seed, to arrive and for sale by **THOMAS PERRY,** No. 8, Prince st. eod.

SARATOGA WATER.—20 dozen of Saratoga Water, just received for sale by the case or less quantity. **HENRY COOK,** 39, King street.

POTATOES.—150 bbls Peach Blow and Mercer Potatoes, for sale by **THOMAS PERRY,** No. 8, Prince st.

VINEGAR.—A good article of VINEGAR for sale by **J. C. MILBURN,** cor. Cameron & Royal sts., opposite the Market.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL! COAL OIL!!—Coal Oil of the best quality, for sale low by **GWIN & BECKHAM,** No. 6, Union street.

VIRGIN PURE SALAD OIL in bulk, warranted equal to the best Oil of Aix, just received and for sale by **JANNEY & CO.,** 12-13.

50 BBS. NO. 1 POTOMAC HERRING; 100 sacks fine Salt; 100 sacks G. A. Salt, for sale by **GEORGE H. ROBINSON,** 15, Union st.

SAGE.—Just received a large supply of Fresh Sage, in bulk; also, Thyme, Summer Savory and Sweet Marjoram. **JANNEY & CO.,** 12-13.

FISH! FISH! FISH!!—No. 1 Potomac, Labrador, and Eastport Herring, for sale low by **GWIN & BECKHAM,** No. 6, Union street.

FINE AND G. A. SALT, for sale by **THOMAS PERRY,** No. 8, Prince st.

BUCKWHEAT.—2,000 lbs. fresh Buckwheat Flour, received and for sale by **F. G. SWAINE,** 12-13.

CRACKER DUST.—Crackers, of various kinds, for sale by **J. C. MILBURN,** 12-13.

SUGAR.—Just received 20 bbls. of Refined Sugar. **[Nov 20-17]** **F. G. SWAINE**

AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE FAIRFAX LAND FOR SALE.—Pursuant to a decree of the County Court of Fairfax county, rendered in the case of J. Frank Brown and wife vs. Jackson and others, I will offer for sale at public auction, at Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, 18th March, (Court day), a VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND containing about THREE HUNDRED ACRES, being the farm of which Geo. W. Jackson, died seized. Said farm is in first-rate order, well wooded, and has upon it a comfortable dwelling and fine barn, and is within two miles of Dranesville.

Terms of Sale.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in hand on the day of sale, the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, bearing interest from the day of sale, and a retention of the title of the land until the last payment is made. The cash payment is to be forfeited, and the land sold at the cost of the purchaser, in the event of his failing to comply with the terms of sale. **JAMES T. JACKSON,** Commissioner of Sale.

FAIRFAX COUNTY, fe 14-38

CONSTABLE'S SALE.—Will be sold, at public auction, at 11 o'clock, on THURSDAY, the 21st instant, at the corner of Washington and King streets, to satisfy a distraint warrant, in my hands, against the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad Company, in favor of Mrs. Virginia C. Neale, the following property, to wit: Six Chairs, five desks, one table, three Carpets, one bedstead, one sofa, one bed, one chest of drawers, &c. **fe 11-38** **S. N. AUBINE, A. C. C.**

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Culpeper county, made on the 7th day of February, 1887, in the case of Hicks, guardian vs. Hicks and others, I shall, on SATURDAY, the 9th day of March, 1887, sell, on the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the HOUSE and LOT, Culpeper and Culpeper streets, and recently occupied by Wm. A. Hicks, dec'd., as a dwelling, storehouse and bakery. The house is large and conveniently arranged for business, and is a good stand for a confectionery store and bakery. One-third of the purchase money will be required in cash, the remainder to be divided into two equal instalments, payable in one and two years, respectively, with interest from the day of sale, the purchaser to give bond and good security for the deferred instalments, and the legal title to be retained until the whole purchase money is paid.

F. M. LATHAM, Comm'r. of Culpeper Circuit Court.

CULPEPER C. H., February 9-1887

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.—Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Westmoreland county, rendered in the case of Arnold, guardian, vs. Hickson, et al., on the 10th day of October, 1886, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of March, 1887, that VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, known as "BLUE POINT," situated in the county of Westmoreland, Va., on the Potomac river, adjoining the land of John Lewis, Henry Gouldman and W. D. Watson, deceased, and contains 960 acres. This land is river flat, and very productive. Can be easily divided into several farms. It is also a popular steamboat landing. The improvements consist of a large DWELLING HOUSE, and the usual out-houses necessary for a large farm. The Court reserves to itself the right to ratify this sale or not, at its discretion.

TERMS.—So much in cash as will defray the expenses of the suit, the costs and charges attending this sale. The remainder of the purchase money will be divided into three equal instalments, upon a credit of one, two and three years, bearing interest from the day of sale—the purchaser giving bonds with approved security for the deferred payments. For further information apply in person, or by letter, to either **Oak Grove, Westmoreland co., Va., P. C. S. HUNTER,** King George Court House, Va. **MARK ARNOLD,** Comm'r., King George co., Va. **Westmoreland County, fe 2-18w3**

BY J. H. PARROTT, ADCT.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Under authority of a deed of trust from John Lilly and wife, bearing date on the 20th day of July, 1875, recorded in Book W, page 473, of the Alexandria Co. Land Records, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of March, 1887, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property in the city of Alexandria, Va.: Beginning on the east side of Fairfax street, at the south side of an alley, 20 feet wide, running from Fairfax to Water street, midway between and parallel to Queen and Cameron streets, and running thence south with Fairfax st. 43 feet 7 inches—thence east, parallel to said alley, to Water street—thence north with Water street, the said alley—thence west with said alley to the beginning.

TERMS.—Two thousand two hundred and ninety-nine dollars, and expenses of sale to be paid in cash; \$1,995 to be paid on the 1st day of January, 1888; \$2,100 to be paid on the 1st day of January, 1889; and the residue on the 1st day of January, 1890—the last payment to bear interest from the day of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by a deed of trust on the property, and the bonds of the purchaser, and the property to be kept insured by purchaser until payment, in the sum of \$6,000.

ANDREW JAMESON, Trustee.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered in the case of Johnson vs. Robinson and others, I will sell, at public auction, at Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, the 21st day of January next, (Court day), the following described land, to wit: A TRACT of land, which Francis Johnson died seized. This land contains 140 acres, fifteen of which are in wood. It is on the telephone road, on Pohick Creek, near the old Pohick Church, and has upon it a fine mill seat.

Terms of Sale.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale as a deposit, the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, bearing interest from the day of sale, and a retention of the title of the land until the last payment is made; and in the event of the purchaser failing to comply with the terms of sale.

WM. H. DULANY, Commissioner of Sale.

dec 14-3awts **Commissioner of Sale.**

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE County Court of Fairfax county, in the suit of Abel Stoddard vs. Alexander Adkins, the undersigned, Commissioner therein named, will, on the 18th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1887, (that being Court day), in front of the Court House door of Fairfax county, sell, at public auction, a VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, in said county of Fairfax, containing about ONE HUNDRED ACRES. This tract is a part of the land owned by the late James Sangster, lies on the Wolf-run Shoals road, about 2 1/2 miles from Fairfax Station, and adjoining the lands of A. Lent and others.

Terms of Sale.—One-tenth of the purchase money in hand, the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest; the purchaser to give bond with good personal security, the title to be retained until the last payment is made, the cash payment to be forfeited should the purchaser fail to complete his purchase.

WM. H. DULANY, Commissioner.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!!—3 bbls. Pittsburgh Coal Oil, a prime article, received to-day, and for sale low, by **J. C. MILBURN,** 12-13.

ITALIAN MACARONI and VERMICELLI. Just received and for sale by **HARRIE HOUGH,** 12-13.

JUST RECEIVED.—10 bushels Hominy; 2 firkins choice Butter; 1 tierce sugar cured Hams; Best Family Lard; Clarified Cider Vinegar, for sale by **J. C. MILBURN,** 12-13.

SWEET CIDER, for sale by **J. C. MILBURN,** 12-13.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

SAMUEL J. REED, DEALER IN GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND LIQUORS, No. 74, SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.

Has on hand, and always keeps, a full supply of CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, and a fine selection of LIQUORS and WINES, together with Spices of the purest quality, which he will sell as low as they can be bought in this market.

He would call the attention of families to his supply, on hand, of extra quality Bacon, put up by himself, with great care and pains, which he thinks cannot be surpassed in the State; conch Hams and Shoulders, Clear-ribbed Sides and Breast Pieces, together with 1000 lbs. nice Leaf Lard. **fe 5-18w3**

HARRIE HOUGH, DEALER IN CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, CORNER OF PRINCE AND PITT STS. oct 5-17f **ALEXANDRIA, VA.**

H. W. LOOMIS, DEALER IN GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FINE TEAS, FLOUR, FEED, ETC., No. 204, KING STREET, CORNER COLUMBUS. Constantly on hand the choicest brands of Segars and Tobacco; also, a fine assortment of STATIONERY and NOTIONS. **sep 18-38**

GREGORY & PAUL, WHOLESALE DEALERS IN Groceries, Flour and Bacon, Nos. 27 and 29, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. **ap 14-17**

J. CLINTON MILBURN, FAMILY GROCER, AND DEALER IN FINE TEAS, FLOUR, FEED, &c., Corner Cameron and Royal Streets, (Opposite the Market), ALEXANDRIA, VA. **ap 20-17**

DAVY & HARMON, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocers, Feed and Flour Merchants, Corner of Prince and Royal Sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA. **jan 19-17**

F. G. SWAINE, No. 10, North Royal street, Has constantly on hand a full supply, and is constantly receiving fresh invoices of GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, and all other articles generally found in a first-class GROCERY and LIQUOR STORE, and will sell as low as they can be bought in this market. **sep 12-17**

FERTILIZERS, &c. IMPORTANT TO FARMERS. DAWSON'S FERTILIZERS.

These Fertilizers are offered to the farmer as among the best and cheapest food for plants, containing a large proportion of BONE PHOSPHATE OF LIME, AND ANIMAL MATTER, capable of furnishing

By decomposition they furnish those ingredients most needed by the crops, and which are usually deficient in our soils. For sale by **WM. A. SMOOT, Agent,** No. 3, King st., Alexandria, Va. **je 31-17**

GUANO—REED'S AMMONIATED SUPERPHOSPHATE OF LIME.—The best superphosphate yet offered to the farmer, possessing all the activity of Peruvian Guano, but being far more durable in its effects.

It contains a large amount of animal matter in highly concentrated form, which, combined with its soluble bone phosphate of lime, cannot fail to render it very valuable as a fertilizer. Notwithstanding we believe it to be the best super-phosphate in the market, yet, by a process peculiar in its manufacture, whereby the expenses are lessened, we are enabled to sell it very low, with a liberal discount to dealers.

M. ELDRIDGE & CO., Sole Agents, No. 4, South Wharves, Alexandria, Va. **oct 4-17**

NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO. Daily expected a cargo of NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO, Just arrived from the "Chincha Islands," per ship Commodore, now discharging; which we will sell at the lowest market price, for cash. **HOOE & WEDDERBURN,** Foot of Prince street.

NEW GOODS. At the lowest prices yet reached. We are to-day receiving a full assortment of Calicoes, Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings and Shirtings, Table Linens, &c. Our assortment of Dress Goods is still very complete, and at very low prices. **fe 4-38** **WITMER & SLAYMAKER.**

OILS, &c.—Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Neatsfoot Oil, Spermaceti, Whale, Straits, Tallow, Common Paint Oil, Lubricating Oil, Machine Oil, Paraffine Oil, &c. For sale by **HENRY COOK,** 39 and 224, King street. **oct 17-38**

PLASTER! PLASTER!! 1500 tons Soft Blue Plaster, to arrive, and for sale by **HOOE & WEDDERBURN,** fe 9-38 **No. 2, Prince street.**

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S ENGLISH PICKLES. Worcestershire and Club Sauce, Martineau and Tomato Catsup, Celote & Co.'s Fine Toilet Soaps, Choice Gunpowder and Imperial Tea, Smoked Beef and Sugar Cured Hams. Just received and for sale by **HARRIE HOUGH,** cor. Prince and Pitt sts.

OWNERS OF WATER POWER Should use the Celebrated LEFFEL TURBINE WATER WHEEL, Manufactured by **POOLE & HUNT,** Baltimore, Md. **nov 27-6m**

FOR RENT.—The THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, No. 185, King street, adjoining James A. Stoutenburg's Auction and Commission store. Possession given immediately. Apply to **ALBERT STUART,** No. 7, south Royal street.

JUST RECEIVED.—Brown's Essence Jamaica Ginger, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Seth Arnold's Balsam, Hostetter's Bitters, Burnett's Cod Liver Oil, Hall's Hair Renewer, Mustang Liniment, Burnett's Coccaine and Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup. **WARFIELD & HALL, Druggists,** No. 21—Corner of Prince & Fairfax streets.

FISH! FISH!! 50 Bbls. No. 1 Potomac Herrings, 20 Half bbls. Family Roe, do., &c. For sale by **THOMAS PERRY,** 12-13.

IN STORE, AND FOR SALE, a prime lot of Baled Timothy Hay, Rye, Straw, Cut Hay, Oats, Corn, Middlings, Bro. Stuff, Bran, and all other articles usually kept in a feed store. **fe 10-38** **WITHERS & TOLSON.**

NEW STYLE HOOPS.—Just received the latest styles of Hoops, in Bradsell's, Seth Arnold's, and other celebrated makes. For Misses we have every size, from five hoops up. **fe 2-38** **WITMER & SLAYMAKER.**

JUST RECEIVED.—Gents' Linen Shirts, Collars, (a full line) Cuffs, plain and reversible, and Shirt Bosoms, various styles. These goods, which were purchased of the manufacturer, will be sold at the lowest rates. **fe 5-38** **CHARLES W. GREEN,** 68, King street.

STOVES, TIN WARE, &c.

RESUMPTION OF BUSINESS. STOVES, OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS. TIN WARE, ROOFING, SPOUTING, &c.

ENOCH GRIMES, having determined to resume his former business in Alexandria, respectfully announces to the public, that he has opened his establishment at No. 43, KING STREET,

below Fairfax, on the north side, where he is prepared to furnish the public with every description of articles in his line, which may be wanted. His assortment of COOKING STOVES, will embrace every variety, and of the best descriptions. He would enumerate; among them, Nonce Cook Stoves, the best that was ever in use, and well deserving its name—the Little, the Palmyra, and others. His TIN WARE will be found equal, if not superior, to any ever offered for sale in Alexandria, and housekeepers can have any description of ware of that kind, which they may need, he invites an examination of his goods, and presents such a selection as cannot fail to please. All kinds of ROOFING and SPOUTING, executed in the best manner and on the lowest terms.

An experience of forty years in this business, enables him to claim that he has a practical knowledge of it, in all its branches. He is desirous of not only accommodating, but giving satisfaction to his customers and to all purchasers, and they may be assured that what he sells them will be of the best materials and of the best manufacture. He will warrant whatever he sells. It will be his object to secure patronage by constant and personal attention to his establishment.

With this announcement he will open his Manufactory, willing to show by his efforts that the patronage he asks, will redound to the advantage of those who buy, as well as of him who sells, and that the citizens of Alexandria and its vicinity, need not go elsewhere to purchase what can be procured in their own city, from one of their own people. **je 12-2aw17**

PURCELL & HOY, NO. 174, S. W. corner of KING & WASHINGTON STREETS. AGENTS FOR THE MAJOR & BARSTOW PATENT VENTILATING STOVES. Comprising Parlor, Cook, Hall and Dining Room Stoves, Hot Air Furnaces and Ranges. Also Manufacturers and Dealers in all sorts of Stoves, Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware, Guttering, Spouting, Roofing, &c., done in the best manner, and at shortest notice. **je 19-17**

DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, &c. ATTENTION LADIES! MRS. SIMPSON, No. 180, KING STREET, Having just returned from the North, is again prepared to offer to the ladies novelties in LADY'S WASHINGTON'S, BISMARCK'S LAMBALL'S, Also, Volants, Ribbons, Flowers, Felt Bonnets and Hats, all of which will be sold cheap for cash.

Particular attention given to Mourning Work. Beautiful Cape Bonnets made from \$6 to \$10. **dec 13-17**

REMOVAL. CHARLES W. GREEN, DEALER IN FANCY, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c. would respectfully call attention to his REMOVAL, from No. 13, North Fairfax street, Mansion House Building, to the NEW STORE, just completed, No. 68, KING STREET, (Between Fairfax and Royal streets.)

Many thanks to my fellow-citizens for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon me, and trust, by continued application to business, with a disposition to accommodate, to merit their confidence and further patronage. Special attention given to DRESS TRIMMINGS, RIBBONS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CORSETS, HOOPSKIRTS, &c.

Would call attention to stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, such as Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Socks, Suspenders, Cravats, Shirts, Drawers, &c. With increased facilities for the transaction of business, I hope to be able to supply the wants of Dealers.

All Goods warranted as represented. Orders from the country respectfully solicited. **CHARLES W. GREEN,** 68, King street. **no 16-38**

PROFESSIONAL. JULIUS DIENELT, DENTIST, No. 145, PRINCE STREET, (Four Doors below Washington street), ALEXANDRIA, VA. **oc 20-38**

NOTICE.—ROBERT I. SMITH, ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC, has opened his office at Phoenix Hall, daily he may be found from 8 a. m., to 6 p. m., at 10-17.

LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR, ATTORNEY AT LAW, No. 114, Prince street, east of the Post Office sep 30-17

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FAIRFAX COUNTY, November term, 1886, Territt &c., vs. Territt &c. In Chancery.

This cause being revived, by consent, in the name of W. H. Dulany, administrator of Hannah B. Territt, deceased, and by like consent against Daniel W. Lewis, administrator of Wm. H. Territt, deceased, and now coming on to be heard upon the papers formerly read, &c., the Court doth adjudge, order and decree, that Thomas Moore, one of the Commissioners of this Court, be, and is, hereby constituted in the place of Alfred Moore, deceased, to take the account directed by a former decree of this Court; and before taking such account he shall give notice of the time and place of taking the same in some convenient newspaper, once a week for four successive weeks, and such publication shall be held equivalent to personal service on the parties.

Teste. **W. B. GOODING, Clerk.** **COMM. OFFICE, Jan. 30, 1887.**

I hereby give notice that, as an officer of said Court, on the 4th day of March, next, I shall proceed to execute the foregoing decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, and the decree therein recited.

THOMAS MOORE, Commissioner in Chancery, Circuit Ct. Fairfax co. **jan 31-18w4**

AGENTS THE HISTORY OF THE WAR BETWEEN THE STATES—TRACING ITS ORIGIN, CAUSES AND RESULTS. BY HON. ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS. AND BY HENRY CLEVELAND, Esq. Send for Circulars and see our terms.

NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO., Corner 7th and Main Sts., Richmond, Va. **jan 29-18m**

BOOK BINDERY. CORNER 13TH AND D STREETS, WASHINGTON, D. C. All work neatly and expeditiously attended to. Work can be left in Alexandria at Wm Metzger's, opposite the Gazette office. **nov 12-17** **W. F. STRIP.**

30 BBLs. SUPERFINE FLOUR, for sale by **[de 12-38]** **THOS. PERRY.**

CLOTHING DEALERS.

83 ARNOLD & FIELD, 83 MERCHANT TAILORS. Have removed from No. 60 to No. 83, King street, and resumed their old business, where they would be pleased to receive a call from their friends, or any one in want of a suit of good clothes. We have on hand and are receiving a good line of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, LINENS, &c., which we will make to order, very low, for the next two months, especially.

We propose to continue our GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT, where you will always find the latest styles. We will furnish WHITE SHIRTS, as cheap as they can be had at retail in Philadelphia. Warranted to fit and wear well. Call and see us, at No. 83, King st., 3 doors west of Royal. **aug 1-17**

WILLIAM MURRAY, MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 7, NORTH FAIRFAX STREET, Has just received a full and winter assortment of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS. He invites his friends and customers to call and examine his stock. **sep 6-17**

WILLIAM E. ATWELL, FASHIONABLE TAILOR, No. 7, NORTH WASHINGTON STREET, THREE DOORS FROM N. E. Would announce to his friends and the public that he is again prepared to attend to all orders for work in his line, in his usually satisfactory style. **mar 10-17**

BOOTS AND SHOES. LADIES', GENTS', AND CHILDREN'S. SQUARE-TOE BOOTS AND SHOES. An assortment of superior quality of SQUARE-TOE BOOTS & SHOES, selling off at about ONE-HALF of the original cost, at **A. ROSENTH**